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Two piece Bed Room Suits for.....	\$ 5.00
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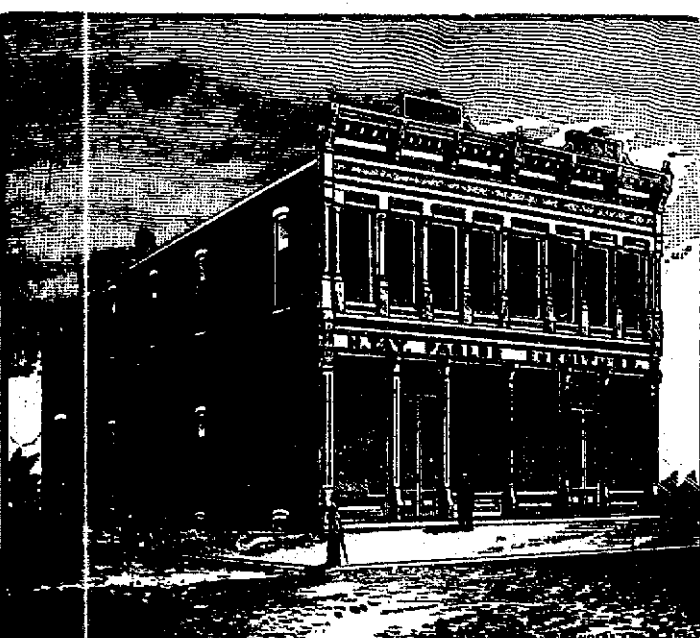
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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 12, 1904.

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

For State Treasurer,
HENRY WULFF, of Cook county.
State Superintendent of Public Instruction,
S. M. INGLIS, of Jackson county.
Trustees University of Illinois,
MRS. LUCY FLOWER, of Cook county.
S. A. BULLARD, of Sangamon county.
ALEX. MCLEAN, of McDonough county.
For Congress,
MAJOR J. A. CONNOLLY.
State Senator,
M. F. KANAN, of Macon County.
Representatives,
W. G. COCHRAN, of Moultrie County.
JAMES E. SHARROCK, of Christian County.
County Judge,
WILLIAM L. HAMMER.
County Treasurer,
CHARLES H. PATTERSON.
County Clerk,
JAMES M. DODD.
Sheriff,
JERRY P. NICHOLSON.
County Superintendent of Schools,
JOHN C. KELLER.

The Democratic campaigner who has the courage to say that a man who is idle now is dishonest, and the Democratic campaigner who thinks so, but who has not the courage to say so, ought to read the following summary of the report of the Michigan state commissioner of labor:

The Michigan legislature of 1893 passed a law requiring the State Commissioner of Labor to make the annual inspection of factories. This work has been partially completed, and of 1,644 factories inspected, 1,106 are running full time, 334 part time, and 144 are wholly idle. The total number of operatives employed when these factories are running full capacity is 78,000, but the number employed at present is but 47,500, at average monthly wages of \$34.11, making a loss in wages to labor each month of \$559,742, or about 35 per cent. Of those idle and running a portion of the time there has been a loss in time per day of 2,210 hours, or a wage loss of \$30,448 in these factories alone. The returns show a reduction in wages from 5 to 25 per cent.

The Blight of Democracy.

In his speech at Springfield Gov. McKinley had this to say of the blight the return of the Democrats to power and their un-American legislation has brought upon the country and the revulsion of public sentiment toward that party:

For nineteen months everything has been blighted but Republican principles, and they shine brighter and are attaching the people closer to them than they have been since the mighty struggle for freedom and union in the days of 1861 to 1865. All the people want now is an opportunity to vote, and every time they have had it since 1892 they have improved it. In Massachusetts a Democratic governor was elected in 1892 in that great stronghold of Republicanism, and was displaced in 1893 by a Republican governor by more than 36,000 majority. In Iowa the Democratic governor who had been elected in that state was displaced by a Republican governor, who was elected by over 40,000 plurality. Every northern state that has spoken since the fatal day in 1892 has spoken against Democratic principles, and in favor of Republican principles and Republican platforms.

What is the meaning of this unparalleled revolution in public sentiment in eighteen months? There has never been anything like it in political history. What has caused it? The answer can be made in a single sentence. The Democratic President and the Democratic Congress have been running, and during that time little else has been running. [Laughter and applause.] Every industry in the country has been interfered with, every enterprise, every investment, every piece of property has been impaired in value. Labor has been little employed and when employed at greatly reduced wages. The Democratic Congress has trifled with the confidence of the people and for nineteen months have been quarreling among themselves on the tariff question, and at last compromised, and upon their own testimony they have been themselves compromised.

They have at last given us a tariff law, such as it is, a law nobody approves of who lives beneath its flag, a law which has no friends except across the sea. It is a law which President Cleveland declared was an act of party rot and which he said if the Democratic party passed it he did not see how the Democratic party could look the people in the face: a law which the senior senator from New York declared as a failure of public purposes, which he spoke against and voted against, and as a reward the Democrats of his state have nominated him for governor in that great Empire commonwealth; a law which Mr. Mills declared did not have a friend among the people of the United States; a law which Chairman Wilson said was the product of the most gigantic trusts in the country which held the congress of the United States by the throat.

Can't Fool the People Twice.

When there were no bad Republican laws to blame for it the Democratic tariff policy produced the same results it is producing now—prostration of business, idle factories, idle workmen, low wages, public soup-houses and full poor-houses.

America cannot buy its manufactures from Europe, instead of making them at home, and be prosperous. That's the

whole story in a nutshell. But it is the policy of the Democratic party to buy the manufactures we consume abroad, because they claim we can buy them there cheaper than at home. These are the reasons that prosperity and a Democratic administration cannot go together.

Labor's Enemies.

The workingman who can vote the Democratic ticket after the present experience with the policy of that party will become a curiosity in time. If he is idle he is told that any man who cannot get work now is dishonest. When the working people tried to petition congress asking it not to pass the tariff bill, Vice President Stevenson, as presiding officer of the senate, made a ruling denying the constitutional right of petition, and in the house Gen. Black declared that he was in favor of buying European manufactures so long as the labor entering in their manufacture was cheaper than labor in America.

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with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years, and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produced such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.
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The Globe Distilling company, of Pekin, have contracted for the erection of a two-story brick warehouse 62x120 feet.

The New Spring Hats

are all adorned with roses. The roses on your cheeks can be retained by using Parks' Tea. It cures the blood of impurities, moves the bowels every day and gives health and strength to the user. Sold by W. F. Neisler.

The new building and loan association at Clinton will be ready to receive the first monthly dues on the 20th.

ALL the talk in the world will not convince you so quickly as one trial of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve for Scalds, Burns, Bruises, Skin Affections and Piles. C. H. Dawson.

S. F. TANNER, formerly of Minier, the father of Mrs. B. C. Allensworth, is dangerously ill at Derby, Iowa.

SHILOH'S CURE is sold on a guarantee. It cures Incipient Consumption. It is the best Cough Cure. Only one cent a dose. 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Guaranteed by C. H. Dawson. d&w

A FINE new Corliss engine has been added to the electric light station at Pekin.

KARL'S CLOVER ROOT, the great Blood purifier, gives freshness and clearness to the complexion and cures Constipation; 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Guaranteed by C. H. Dawson. d&w

NO GRIPING, NO Nausea, NO PAIN, when DeWitt's Little Early Risers are taken. Small Pill. Safe Pill. Best Pill. C. H. Dawson.

MR. BATEMAN has given up the Carter house at Champaign, which is now managed by Geo. W. Gross, of Chicago.

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[FOR THE NEW SCHOOL YEAR]

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SCHEDULE:
Girls' Class, I. and II., Ages 6, 10, 15 years,
Mondays and Thursdays, 4:30-6 p. m.
Ladies' Class, Age above 15 years,
Mondays and Thursdays, 7:30-9 p. m.
Boys' Class, I. and II., Age 6, 10, 14 years,
Tuesdays and Fridays, 4:30-6 p. m.
Youths' Class, Age 14, 18 years, and
Men's Class, Age above 18 years,
Tuesdays and Fridays, 8-9:30 p. m.
Information will be furnished and application for admission of new scholars or classes received by the teacher, MRS. CURT TOLL.
Children will be admitted now free of charge.
Solely for the purpose of the school board.
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Within the Next 30 Days.

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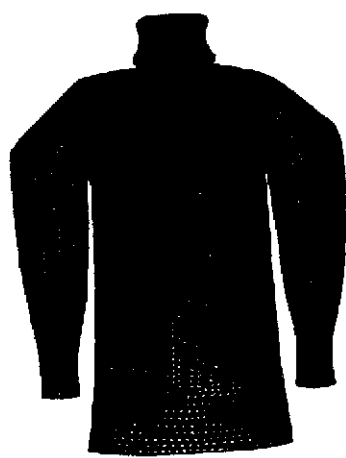
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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 11, 1894.

LOCAL NEWS.

BABY Cough Syrup at Irwin's.

Buck's Steel Ranges at Griswold's.

The favorite cigars are the Little Rose and Bouquets, on sale anywhere in the city.

FRESH oysters at Wood's, 142 Merch street. Try them.

BICYCLES TO REPT, DODD & SANNER Co., 153 Merchant St. apr18-dtf

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR

LAST night Edward White, a stranger, was arrested on a charge of robbing Henry Schenck of a watch and money.

Moore's Air-Tight Heaters at Griswold's.

CALL UP SHELLABARGER'S for BALED HAY, STRAW and MILLET.

The Mrs. Davis place was raided last night by the officers and seven arrests were made. The party put up cash bonds for their appearance.

Do you buy your groceries and meats of C. J. Munson, 448 North Main? If not, why not?

SEVERAL hundred people were at the Christian tabernacle last night to partake of the oyster supper and take part in the social. The receipts were about \$100.

THE Grand Opera House cigars, made by Kock & Weigand, are the best in town. mar25-dtf

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

Tax standard pianos are the Haines Uprights, Everetts and Sterlings, on sale in Decatur only at the C. B. Prescott music house. Learn the low prices and easy terms.

Go to the Spencer & Lehman company for wood pumps, iron pumps, force pumps and pump repairs. feb6-d&wtf

LAST night Candidate Crawford failed to show up at the Populist meeting held at Engineers' Hall. But Funk and Dan Goode were there and both addressed the audience.

THE Buyers' and Merchants' Benefit Bureau saves you 4 per cent on your entire living expenses. Call upon the manager L. Chodat and learn how. dec16-dtf

GEORGE H. BUCK and family, formerly residents of North Edward street, left last night for Ft. Wayne, Ind., where they will reside in the future. Mr. B. until last summer was the clerk in the office of the Wabash roadmaster.

Do not fail to get your name on the registry list if you want to save trouble about voting. Next Tuesday, Oct. 16, is the first day for registration, and two weeks from that day the board will meet to correct and revise the list. Look after the matter and see that your name is properly registered.

GEORGE MEES and his family have disappeared from their residence, No. 672 North Mercer street. Mees was a teamster and it seems that he has sold his horses and left the city, leaving unpaid creditors. His neighbors were at a loss as to where the family had gone, but it is said they are in Charleston, Ill.

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

In the circuit clerk's office Thursday the articles of incorporation of the Economy Gas Stove company were filed. The \$5,000 of stock is held as follows: G. A. Heidel, \$2,000; Henry L. Matthews, \$2,600; Albert C. Matthews, \$300; J. C. Hostetter, \$100. The company will make gas and vapor stoves and hardware novelties.

AUCTIONEER.--I am prepared to fill all engagements as an auctioneer in Decatur and in the country. First-class work and satisfaction guaranteed. JACOB TIDROW, No. 250 East Wood St. 8-46r

Mrs. F. B. TAIT received a telegram Wednesday night that her father, David M. Essick, was dangerously ill at his home in Berrien Springs, Mich. She left on the early train for that place, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Brant. At 9 o'clock yesterday morning a message came from Berrien Springs announcing the death of Mr. Essick. F. B. Tait left last night to join his wife.

THE Stock is Going.

And if you don't come and make your selection in the next few days you are liable to get left. The bargains we offer are simply marvelous.

I. W. EHRMAN, 8-46 Assignee for Waggoner & Co.

Dr. Price's Cream Hair Dressing.

World's Fair Highest Medal and Diploma.

Histories in Public Schools.

Commander Steele, of Dunham Post, has received from Thos. G. Lawler, commander-in-chief of the G. A. R. of Illinois, a circular letter to be read at the meeting of the post, October 16th. It is in reference to action taken by the department of Pennsylvania on the question of some histories used in the public schools. The department took exception to certain statements made in different histories, which gave the causes leading to the war and left the reader to draw his own conclusions as to which side was right. This the department said was not the way with the history of the revolution, which taught that England was wrong and the colonies were right. Other histories told up Robert E. Lee and Stonewall Jackson as examples of American valor, and make similar statements which it is feared will mislead the youth of the land. The national encampment endorsed the action of the Pennsylvania comrades, and in order that all may understand how the veterans feel on the subject, Commander Lawler is now giving the matter as wide publicity as possible.

Jones--Bradley.

The marriage of Miss Florence Belle Bradley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Bradley, of Decatur, Ill., to Ashley Oliver Jones, of this city, will take place this evening at 6:45 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Elizabeth Spellman, 19 East Thirty-fifth street, Rev. Howard A. Johnson officiating. The ceremony will be witnessed by only a few relatives and friends. Miss Bradley is a well-known society belle of Decatur, where she resided previous to the first of the year. Since then, with her father, she has lived in this city. Mr. Jones is prominent on the Board of Trade. The house will be prettily decorated with ferns and cut flowers. Mr. and Mrs. Jones will leave to-night for a short sojourn north, returning in a few years to be at home for the winter at the residence of Mrs. Spellman.--Chicago Evening Post, Oct. 11.

Donation for the Pastor.

The members of the United Brethren church gave a donation party last night to their new pastor, Rev. E. B. Maurer, and his wife. The church was crowded, and with Elder King the new pastor and his wife occupied a place in the pulpit. After a prayer by Rev. Field the donations began coming in. First there were tins, boxes, and jelly galore. These were followed by pumpkins and squashes, cucumbers and tomatoes, potatoes, carrots and sweet potatoes. The last things to be brought up the aisle were several last spring's chickens, squawking as if they knew their fate. The donations were presented to Mr. Maurer by Elder King in behalf of the congregation. Mr. Maurer and his wife both responded in a happy manner.

Lost and Found.

While at the race track yesterday afternoon, Hugh Hughes, the news dealer, lost \$48 in cash, supposed to have been fished out of a hip pocket by a thief. Hughes was sitting on the fence at the time. After the discovery of the loss Hughes sought Marshal Lehman and both began a search for a party whom Hughes thought had taken the roll. He was found in a horse stall and had \$40 in bills and two dollars in silver in his possession. He gave his name as Charles Morgan of St. Louis. Morgan is in jail, and will have to explain satisfactorily where he got that money or go up the road.

Political.

Hon. F. X. Schoonmaker will address the Republicans at the tabernacle next Monday night.

Major Connolly will speak at Blue Mound to-night.

October 22, Springer and Hunt will speak at Macon, Oct. 23, Webber and Leforgee at Nantico, Oct. 24, Springer and Drew at Warrensburg.

It is probable that the Democratic blow-out in Decatur, with Stevenson and Black as the speakers, will occur Nov. 3.

Accidental Fire.

A fire at the home of Isaac Shellabarger, corner of Franklin and Eldorado streets, occurred last night before midnight, doing very little damage.

Mr. Shellabarger, who is troubled with insomnia, was smoking in his room. The stub of his cigar falling on a paper by his side communicated to a cotton comforter in the chair, and before he was aware of it all was ablaze. The family was immediately aroused and the alarm given. The flames were extinguished before the firemen arrived.

The Musical Queen.

Monday evening, October 15, Madame Lizzie Pugh Dugan, of Indianapolis, famous as the musical queen, will appear at the W. C. T. U. hall in Library Block. She is known as the peerless soprano. Madame Dugan's travels through the east have been marked with grand success. The mere mention of her name to appear in many eastern cities is enough to crowd the halls in which she sings.

Call for a Mass Meeting.

There will be a mass meeting of the colored women of Decatur this evening at the colored Odd Fellows' hall on South Park street. The object of the meeting is to form a Republican club of colored women voters as an adjunct to the similar organization now existing among the white women.

EFFIE POWERS IN 2:10 1/4.

Great Speed of the Decatur Mare at the Driving Park.

Flashy and Bourbon Patchen Took First Money--The Running Races.

There was a larger crowd at the park on Thursday than on any other day of the week, and the races proved highly entertaining from start to finish. Each race was an honest contest, plainly apparent to all in attendance, and the excitement at times was at a high pitch.

The great feature of the afternoon was the splendid performance of Effie Powers, the game four-year-old mare, out of a Regalia mare by Anderson Wilkes, owned by Brenneaman Bros. She went the first mile in the free-for-all pace in 2:10 1/4, lowering her record made at 2:10 1/4, lowering her record made at 2:10 1/4, lowering her record made at 2:10 1/4. The time was highly gratifying to the Brenneamans and they received a shower of congratulations. The results of the several contests follow:

5 24 TROT--PURSE \$500.	
Flashy, blk m, by Duke of Glendale, (Gibbs)	1 1 1
Armadillo, blk m, by Lighter, (Whitney)	2 1 2
Maccaron, ch h, by McHardy Hamble (Counings)	3 2 3
Anna Wilkes, by Arthur Wilkes, (Wilkes)	4 3 4
Freely, ch m, (Hayston)	5 4 5
Ida D. b m, (Shoemaker)	6 5 6
Elkmont, ch g, (Thomas)	7 6 7
Hazel N. h h, (Cochran)	8 7 8
Leader, b m, (Hudson)	9 8 9
Rega, blk h, (McGraw)	10 9 10
Time, 2:22 1/4, 2:22 1/4, 2:22 1/4.	
FREE-FOR-ALL PACE--PURSE \$400.	
Bouillon Patchen, ch h, by Bourbon Wilkes (Hartley)	1 1 1
Effie Powers, b m, by Anderson Wilkes (Hudson)	2 2 2
Wilkes, ch h, by Charleston (Mead)	3 3 3
Phonol, gr m, (Dejohue)	4 4 4
Time, 2:10 1/4, 2:10 1/4, 2:10 1/4.	
Running race, mile dash, purse \$125, won by Harrison, ch g, by Bob Owens, in 1:44. Lady Rose, br f, by Lelaps, second; Fleeover, third. Ansel Maid, Levering and Belle of Springfield also ran.	
Running race, three-fourths mile dash for 2-year olds, purse \$100. Won by Dutch Arrow, b c, by Dutch Organ, in 1:59. Spray, ch f, by Greydon, was second and Domino third. No Name, Hopeless and Ben Hurr also ran.	
ENTRIES FOR TO-DAY.	
The probable starters in to-day's races are as follows:	
Five Furlong Dash Consolation Race--Red Wine, Prince Payton, R. B. Friar, Little Jake, St. Peter, Mida, Bement and Tom Glen.	
2:28 Pace--Lavoca, Ernest B. Juanita, Sunlight, Dr. Horn, Jr., Brookhaven, Charles P., Prince Alexander and Prestoria Wilkes.	
Free For All Trot--Alzappa, Commodore Porter, Baron Rogers, Harry Pennington and Jack Shepard.	
Seven Furlong Dash, Running--Ticeiver, Maid of Ansel, Harrison, Lady Rose, Tuesday, Maggie Smallwood and Valfair.	

Russell's Comedians.

Russell's Comedians will appear to-night in a new farce "A Review." The following extract is taken from the Indianapolis News: "Russell's Comedians had no fault to find with the reception they received from the fine audience at the Grand opera house last night. From the raising of the curtain to its fall the hearty applause the company received proved that its efforts were appreciated. The applause was well deserved. Mr. Russell has this season something new that has caught the theatre-goers at once, and his "Review" has become one of the hits of the year. The company that plays it is one of the best he has ever sent out. The first act is a hotel scene, with plenty of singing and dancing and humorous situations. The second act is a musical, and not till the third act is the "Review" discovered. This is a burlesque on different dramas, and so well rendered it caused outbursts of laughter. Miss Amelia Glover danced as perhaps she only can and received a curtain call. She is one of the main features of the entertainment."

In Honor of Miss Guth.

Miss Lelah Mueller entertained her friends last evening in honor of her guest, Miss Rose Guth, of Chicago. The evening was spent playing whist. The sou-venirs were brownie pins. Dainty refreshments were served at the card tables after the game. The invited guests were Misses Rose Guth, of Chicago, Lillian Hanes, Addie Ebert, Clara Ebert, Bertie Whitmer, Anna Lyons, Blanche Allsup, Cora Brook, Belle Steele, Villa Buckingham, Ella Basse, Madge Williams, Ada Boyd and Miss Oliver, of Columbus, O., and Will Bachman, Will Curran, Charles Traver, Dr. T. S. Childs, Dr. O. Eddy, Breck Irwin, Oscar Dawson, Herbert Colby, A. Baldrige, Frank Westenberg, Mr. Nieman, Murray Millikin, Oscar, Robert, Henry and Fred Mueller and Mr. Whitley.

Removal Sale.

We shall remove our entire stock about October 20th, to the building now occupied by the Abel Carpet company. We want to reduce the stock as much as possible before that time and we will make some very interesting prices for you on all of our stock not damaged by the fire. E. D. BARTHOLOMEW Co.

The Time is Now

and the place is at the old stand of H. W. Waggoner & Co., where the goods are being sold out rapidly under the order of the court for the benefit of the creditors. The time for you to invest in shoes is now and the stock for you to choose from if you want to save money is the Waggoner stock. I. W. EHRMAN, assignee.--8-46

The League Resolutions.

At the meeting of the Republican State League at Springfield these resolutions were presented and adopted:

Your committee on resolutions report that it is not the duty of the League to adopt a platform for the party; that the objects and aims of the League are to build up the Republican party and teach to the voters the high aims and principles of the party; that we endorse the platform of the last national convention and the late state convention, and heartily endorse the candidates of the party and urge the people of this great Republican state to redeem it from the clutches of retrograding Democracy, free trade and free soup.

We adhere to the policy of protection to American labor and the preservation of American markets as taught by the Republican party, and we denounce the un-American principle advocated by Cleveland and Wilson of destroying the defense built up by the Republican party.

We believe in honest money, as given to the people by the Republican party, using both gold and silver, with a steady increase in the circulating medium to meet the increased demands of business.

The Republican party is great enough to include all persons regardless of place of birth, and to stand by the Constitution that guarantees religious liberty to all the people.

We believe in the common schools of Illinois, and demand for them the fostering care of the state.

We heartily endorse and commend the action of our Representatives in Congress and the Senate, in their earnest efforts to defeat the bill of "perfidy and dishonor."

We condemn the useless extravagance and incompetence of the present Democratic administration in Illinois in the management of the penal and charitable institutions, and denounce the squandering of the people's money by constructing manufacturing establishments to compete with honest labor.

We urge upon all members of the League and Republicans the importance of assisting in the registration of Republican women, and that they be encouraged to vote for the Republican candidates for trustees of the State University of Illinois.

We extend to Gov. McKinley our thanks for his presence and participation in our State League convention, and extend to him our hearty co-operation in the defense of American industries and the protection of American labor.

A Novel Cave in the Country.

Eli Wilson, who lives near Blue Mound, is building a cave or outside cellar which is a little different from anything ever before seen in this neighborhood. He says they are quite common down about Edinburg, however. A round hole was dug in the ground 3 1/2 feet deep; a single brick wall was then built, which, on reaching the surface of the ground, was gradually drawn in and built dome-shaped to form the roof. Over this about two feet of earth is to be thrown, and the whole covered with sod. A tile projects from the center of the roof, forming a ventilator.

On one side gives entrance, steps leading down to the floor of the underground apartment. If desired a window can be put in the south side to admit light. A tile drain insures protection against flooding in the wet season, and the ventilator keeps the air pure. The floor may be either brick or cement. Nothing ever freezes in one of these caves, and we imagine that on the approach of a cyclone it would be a pretty safe place to fly to. Harley Barick did the mason work, and we predict he will have numerous applications to build more like Mr. Wilson's. About 2,500 bricks are required in the construction of one the size of the one above described.--Blue Mound Leader.

Potter and Bellow.

An event in our local theatrical world will be the appearance of the co-stars, Cora Urquhart Potter and Kyrie Bellow. They are announced to appear at the Grand on next Tuesday night, Oct. 17, in one of their new plays--at least new in this latitude. During the past five years Mrs. Potter has been more or less before the American public, and those who observe things theatrical have noted the rapid strides she has made in her profession from the time of her last American engagement over two years ago. The company supporting these two stars on their American tour was engaged in New York. By a fortuitous combination of circumstances it is the same that appeared with them on their last American tour. "In Society," a comedy by Alexander Dumas, will be the play given on this occasion.

Special Leather Goods Sale.

We will place on sale to-day for one week all our leather pocket books and purses in the intermediate prices. One line will be offered at 25 cents each. Most of these are worth one dollar. Another line will be offered at 50 cents each. In this line we have put all grades each. In this line we have put all grades each that sold for \$1.00 up to \$2.00. A large line of seal and other chateleine bags will be offered at about one-half value. We want the space occupied by these goods, consequently will give up this line and in the future only carry very fine presentation purses and card cases.

OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.

Sale of Jersey Milk Cows.

Mr. G. N. Boston & Co., of Nashville, Tenn., will sell their second load of Jersey milkers Saturday, Oct. 13, 1894, at Caldwell's Livery barn, one-half block west of Lincoln Square. Sale beginning at 10 o'clock. This load is much superior to any load they have ever shipped from Tennessee. All fresh with milk and all thoroughbred. No farmer can afford to miss seeing this load of fine cattle.

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Sold for \$36,000.

Elijah Walker has traded his farm of 400 acres in Macon township to John N. Hill for \$36,000. Mr. Walker took in on the trade Mr. Hill's house at 750 West Macon street in this city at \$5,500. The price on the farm is \$75 an acre, and is a good amount for the land.



FRIDAY, OCTOBER 12, 1894.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO, Ill., October 12, 1894.
The first of the week, with a fair to good
response in grain, provisions and stocks, with
the exception of the Chicago, New York, Minneapolis
and St. Louis, for the following market quotations:

WHEAT CLOSURE.
Oct. wh. at, 51; Dec., 53; May, 56.
CORN CLOSURE.
Oct., 49 1/2; Nov., 49 1/2; Dec., 47 1/2; May, 49 1/2.

OATS CLOSURE.
Oct., 29 1/2; Nov., 29 1/2; Dec., 29 1/2; May, 33.
PROVISIONS CLOSURE.
Pork—Oct., \$12.20; Jan., \$12.52 1/2.
Lard—Oct., \$7.75; Jan., \$7.42 1/2.
Ribs—Oct., \$5.65; Jan., \$5.02 1/2.

TO-YAY'S RECEIPTS—CASH CLOSURE.
Wheat—6; Estimated, 17. Last year, 15.
Corn—78. Estimated, 120. Last year, 100.
Oats—17. Estimated, 175. Last year, 100.

ESTIMATES FOR TO-MORROW.
Wheat, 6; Corn, 15; Oats, 15.
Hog receipts, 10,000; 200 above the estimate.
Market to close. Light, \$4.80; 3/4, \$4.80;
\$4.80; 5/8, \$4.80; heavy, \$4.75; 5/8, \$4.75; rough, \$4.75;
\$4.75.

Estimated for to-morrow, 12,000.
Cattle receipts, 5,000. Market slow.
Minneapolis got 300 cars of wheat and Duluth
got 200 cars, making a total of 500 cars.

LONDON, 1 p. m.—Oil coast, wheat quiet
but steady corn nothing offering. On passage
wheat and corn quiet but steady.
LIVERPOOL, 1 p. m.—Wheat spot at open-
ing, slow, corn firm.

MARK LANE—Wheat not much demand. Corn
firm.

Will You

Be guided to our store, then follow the
crowd. Seal bargains in tin ware at
prices which will insure their speedy
taking off. Tin coal oil cans 13c, glass
coal oil cans 18c, dish pans 15c to 35c,
covered buckets 5c to 35c, cake pans 2
to 15c, lanterns and coffee mills 15c to 25c,
slightly damaged by fire and water. We
quote prices the goods will do the talk-
ing. E. D. BARTHOLOMEW CO.

ACCIDENT OR DESIGN.

A Passenger Train Collides with Empty
Freight Cars.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Oct. 12.—What
appears to be another attempt to
wreck a Soo east-bound limited, but
which the officials declare was an accident,
occurred at Turtle Lake, Wis.,
about 7 o'clock Wednesday night,
when the train ran into a number of
empty freight cars a mile east of
town. Fireman P. A. Spillman and
Baggage man L. R. Parry were hurt,
the engine was derailed and thrown
on its side, and 200 feet of track was
torn up. General Manager Under-
wood expresses the opinion that the
empty cars were pushed out on the
main line by an Omaha engine, which
was doing some switching on a "Y"
connecting the two roads, and not by
wreckers. No passengers were hurt.

The Largest Score Ever Made.

CHICAGO, Oct. 12.—The largest score
ever made by a United States cavalry-
man was recorded yesterday in the
army shoot at Fort Sheridan. Sergt.
Charles Karsten, "D" troop, first cav-
alry, performed the remarkable feat of
making a score of 47 points out of a
possible 50 on the 500-yards range.
Karsten shot with the regular army
carbine.

The Sovereign Half Dollar to Become
Legal Money.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—The Chicago
souvenir coin of the great World's fair
is to become a current half dollar.
Secretary Carlisle yesterday issued an
order to the subtreasuries directing
them to pay out on demand the sou-
venir half dollar at the same ratio as the legal-
tender half dollar of the United States,
namely, par with gold.

Wholesale Arson and Murderer.

LONDON, Oct. 12.—A dispatch re-
ceived at the foreign office from the
British consul at Lourenco Marques,
Delagoa bay, says the kaffirs have en-
tered the outskirts of that port, burned
a number of houses and murdered sev-
enten persons.

Receivers Cannot Cut Wages.

OWAJIA, Neb., Oct. 12.—In the United
States circuit court Judge Wolsion yester-
day decided that the receivers can-
not cut the salaries of the employees of
the Omaha & St. Louis (Wabash) road.

Falled.

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—The failure of
R. D. Cunn was announced at the Con-
solidated exchange yesterday.

The Amour of Afghanistan Very Ill.
LONDON, Oct. 12.—Advices from Cab-
ul say the amir of Afghanistan is
very ill.

Four Earthquake Shocks.

ATHENS, Oct. 11.—Four earthquake
shocks were felt here last night.

A General Price Shrinkage

At Bartholomew's great removal sale.
Wise people will not only supply present
wants but anticipate future acquire-
ments as well, such as wedding presents
and holiday gifts. We direct special at-
tention to our large line of fancy patterns
in silver plated ware of all kinds. Table
spoons three for 10c, silver plated pin
cushions 15c, tea set one set for 10c.

D. AR BARTHOLOMEW CO.

Forty Italian are at work on the Ur-
ban sewer.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Fred Durfee, of Chicago, is in the city.
Mrs. J. G. Badenhausen is on the sick
list.

Mrs. E. W. Hill has returned from a
visit in Wisconsin.

Mrs. W. W. Nash, of Ottawa, is the
guest of Mrs. L. L. Macer.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Car-
mum, on Friday, October 12 a son.

Mrs. W. R. Abbott left to-day for
Lafayette to visit her brother, Ford
Greer.

Mrs. Alex Purvis, after a visit with
Mrs. J. W. Kirkbride, left to-day for her
home in Sullivan.

Miss Mattie Hughes of Oakwoods, Ky.,
is the guest of Miss Fannie Gordon on
North Main street.

Dr. Ira N. Barnes, who has been at
Boston, Mass., for the past two weeks, is
expected home to-day.

Mrs. H. D. Spencer, of Bloomington,
is in the city a guest of her parents, Mr.
and Mrs. Jason Rogers.

Mrs. F. L. Strohm returned yesterday
from Fairbury, Neb., where she has been
visiting relatives for the past two weeks.

Henry Keefe and wife, of Corro
Gordo, visited in Decatur yesterday, the
guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Brenneman.

Mrs. L. Clark, of Creston City, Iowa,
who has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs.
Charles Moore, left this morning for her
home.

James Huddleston arrived in the city
last night from Kansas City, where he
has been visiting during the past three
weeks.

Mrs. Kate Peggam, of Lincoln, ar-
rived in the city to-day to visit Miss
Grace Hamsher and attend the bicycle
race.

Mrs. J. W. Johnson, who was called
home by the death of her father, re-
turned to her home in DeSoto, Mo., yester-
day.

A. A. Majors and family of Mt. Zion
have moved to the city to make their
home. They will reside 1569 North Mor-
gan street.

Mrs. E. H. Bell, of 1114 North Monroe
street, who has been ill of typhoid pneu-
monia, has suffered a relapse and is
again very ill.

Mrs. S. W. Moore left to-day for
Indianapolis, and after a visit there will
go to Worthington, Ind., where she will
visit several weeks.

Mrs. Smith returned yesterday to her
home in Windsor after a visit in Decatur
with the family of Herbert Smith on
West Ceno Gordo street.

Mrs. F. F. Davidson, City, and Mr.
and Mrs. T. G. Overmier, of Niantic,
returned home to-day after visiting rela-
tives in Kansas and Missouri.

Henry McLaughlin, of Chicago, was
in the city yesterday calling upon the
legal fraternity in the interest of his law
book publishing house at Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Kelso and H. S.
Bigelow left last night for Suganav,
Mich., in answer to a message announc-
ing the death of Mrs. Ada Short, sister
of Mrs. Kelso and Mr. Bigelow.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Moore came home
yesterday from Crawfordville, Ind.,
where they attended the celebration of
the golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs.
William Sellers, Mr. Moore's uncle and
aunt.

Charles T. Haigh is again seriously ill
at his home. He was taken down several
weeks ago with typhoid fever and had
nearly recovered, but a few days ago he
experienced a relapse and is again seri-
ously ill.

Prof. L. L. Crosthwait will leave to-
night on the Wabash for Salisbury, Mo.,
where he has accepted a position as
teacher of elocution, vocal music and
physical culture in the North Missouri
Institute. His family will follow him
soon.

Urbanus Herold, Rev. T. A. Parker,
who had for some time been seriously ill
at the home of H. T. Sperry, returned
to his home in Beardstown last Wednes-
day. He was accompanied by his
daughter, May, who had come to Cham-
paign to nurse him.

Mrs. C. L. Robinson, of Jacksonville,
Fla., accompanied by her daughter, ar-
rived in the city to-day from Vermont,
to visit her son, A. S. Robinson, and
family. They have been spending the
summer in the north and stopped in
this city to visit her son on her way
home.

WITTY BRIEVITIES.

Hope is the twin brother of happi-
ness.

To a small soul a dollar always looks
big.

It isn't the biggest tree that bears the
best fruit.

Wine riches fly they do not do it with
a broken wing.

There is no deception so dangerous
as self-deception.

When we fail to justify ourselves we
lose our self-respect.

The man who lives only to please
himself has a hard master.

It is a great mistake to suppose that
money can buy happiness.

If the bass drum could think it
would probably wonder why it has to
keep still so much.—Ram's Horn.

The Bookwood Pottery.

We have been appointed selling
agents for the product of these
celebrated potteries. You are
invited to inspect a full line of their
goods. The goods will be shown on our
first floor with the Cut Glass.

Respectfully,

OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.,
Jewelers and Dealers in Fine China.

Better Hurry Up.

My time is getting short. The Wag-
goner stock of boots and shoes must be
sold out for the benefit of creditors and
the business must be wound up. Better
hurry up if you want shoes at low
prices. The prices at which we are now
selling out these goods at retail will not
be met at retail again soon. Better buy
your shoes now. I. W. ERMANN,
Assignee.

TWO GOOD JOBS.

W. H. Bramble Handles Both
Economically and Well.

The handsome three story business
block, east side Central Park, erected
for D. W. Brenneman & Co., James Mill-
kin and Samuel McRoberts, is rapidly
approaching completion, and each of
the three separate buildings in the block
will be occupied in the near future. Ex-
Ald. W. H. Bramble has had full charge
of the construction force from the be-
ginning. He was placed on duty as
general superintendent when ground
was broken. The building has pro-
gressed rapidly and there cannot be
found in the city a more substantial
business block.

Lately Mr. Bramble took the superin-
tendency of tearing down the old opera
house for W. H. Ennis, saving him sev-
eral hundred dollars. It took a man of
experience and nerve to handle those
shaky walls and Bramble got the roof
and floors out and saved the walls with-
out damage to adjacent property. He
now has a force of men cleaning the
brick and placing them in the cellar for
future use. There will be 100,000 in the
pile.

Mr. Bramble for two weeks has been
looking after both jobs at the same time
spending half his time at the opera
house-site, and the other half at the new
block.

Elevator Accident.

There was an accident at the Wait
office building yesterday afternoon
caused by the sudden break of the ele-
vator cables, which carry a weight of
1700 pounds. The accident happened
just as the elevator boy, Billy Seaton,
had started the car upwards. The
weight was at the top of the shaft and it
came down with a crash. As the car
passed the second floor Seaton managed
to throw the door open and leap out.
He was badly frightened by the noise of
the falling weight. The engineer says
had he shut off the power the car would
have stopped and the damage would
have been less. As it was the cable
was ruined, and until a new one
can be procured the elevator will remain
idle. A new cable was ordered from
Chicago last night and it is expected
that the elevator will be in operation to-
morrow. The break was such that no
injury could have resulted to any one
had the car been loaded.

77 Years Old To-Day.

This is the 77th birthday anniversary
of Jerome B. Gorin, president of the
Macon County Old Settlers' Association.
He was born at Hopkinsville, Christian
county, Ky., October 12, 1817, and came
to Illinois in 1828. Since 1883 he has
been a resident of Decatur. He is in
very good health and walks as erect as
ever. Mr. Gorin will probably be with
us in the flesh in 1917. Hope he may.

The Women's Rally.

Mrs. K. Harwood, member of the Wo-
man's Republican State Central Com-
mittee, for the 17th congressional dis-
trict, attended the mass meeting of Re-
publican women at Central Music Hall,
Chicago, last night. The meeting was
an immense affair and was addressed by
Miss Mary Krout, Miss Ida M. Demp-
sey, Mrs. Dietz, Miss Ida B. Wells, Mrs.
Marion Foster Warburn and Mrs.
Worthington.

Death.

Augustus Greer, formerly janitor of
the Church Street school, died of lung
trouble at his home on West Marietta
street, aged about 37 years. He leaves
a widow and two children. Mr. G. was
a member of Decatur Lodge No. 17, col-
ored Masons, and had his life insured for
\$1,000. Time of funeral not stated.

Don't Miss This.

We have selected a miscellaneous lot
of goods slightly damaged by fire and
water, consisting of lanterns, tinware of
all kinds, coal oil cans, coffee mills, etc.,
etc., which will be sold at prices which
will make them go. The quantity of
these goods is limited, but the variety is
large and desirable.

E. D. BARTHOLOMEW CO.

Wanted.

Wanted—25 men to go to work on
gravel train on Vandalia line Monday
morning. For further information apply
at Vandalia freight office Sunday morn-
ing at 9 o'clock. A. G. BOWEN,
12-12

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What we will offer during the opening week:

Wash Goods.

Apron and dress ginghams, fine quality, opening days
only 3 1/2c.

Outing flannels, new patterns, special price, 4 1/2c a yard.

Best American indigo blue prints at 4 1/2c a yard.

Spanish down, dark colors, the latest for ladies' wrappers,
special price, 12 1/2c a yard.

One lot of prints and calico, comprising the remnants of
the entire department; to close them out in 30 days
they will be sold at 3 1/2c a yard.

Men's Furnishing Goods.

We will place on sale during our opening week the fol-
lowing special bargains:

50 dozen new Ties; 75c would be cheap for them, opening
price, 50c.

21 dozen boys' flannel school waists worth \$1.00, opening
price, 60c.

2 cases men's heavy natural wool shirts and drawers, usual
price would be \$1.50; opening price \$1.00.

Kid Gloves.

We have on sale to last through our opening, 47 dozen
Gloves, including Mousetaire and 4-button suede in
black, brown, tan, mode and slate. Sizes, 5 1/2 to 7 1/4
at 60c.

Corsets.

35 dozen La Mode corsets in white, black and gold, 13c.

Hosiery.

15 dozen ladies' silk plaited hose in white, cream, pink, yel-
low, blue, slate and tan, 60c.

Underwear.

50 dozen ladies' wool mixed ribbed vests and pants, 50c

Umbrellas.

75 26-inch silk serge umbrellas, trimmed handles, \$1.60.

Fur Garments.

34-inch long China seal Jacket, full umbrella skirt, Colum-
bia sleeves, worth \$100, at \$50.

34-inch Alaska seal Jacket worth \$250, at \$130.

Fur Neck Boas in mink, beaver, sable and krimmer water
mink, from \$2 to \$8 each.

27 inch long unplucked seal cape, extra sweep, worth \$55,
at \$35.

36 inch long English seal, London dye, black bear edged,
worth \$200, at \$100.

24 inch long Coney Cape, full sweep, \$10.

24 inch Baltic Seal Cape, full sweep, worth \$20, at \$12.50.

27 inch Electric Seal Cape worth \$22.50, at \$15.

27 inch Coney Cape, \$15.

30 inch Moire Astrachan Cape worth \$50, at \$25.

Yarns.

Imported Saxony, fine quality, skeins only, special price 8 1/2c.

Finest Cashmere yarn, white and black only, special price,
12 1/2c skein.

Old-fashioned Springfield, Ohio, Yarn at 90c pound.

Flannels.

White domestic flannel at 20c yard.

All wool twilled scarlet flannel at 19c yard.

Irish Frieze in grey and blue mixed, 19c yard.

Skirt patterns, all wool, full size, at 98c each.

Blankets.

10-4 Grey at 75c pair.

10-4 Tan at 98c pair.

11-4 Grey or Scarlet, guaranteed all wool, special price,
\$1.50 pair.

Home made comforts, 21 yards long, two yards wide, white
sateen filling. Special price, 98c each.

Linens.

Honeycomb towel, size 18x42 inches, at 12 1/2c each.

Windsor twilled towel at 8 1/2c yard.

Bates crocheted bed spreads, one case only will be sold at
50c each.

36-inch finest bleached muslin, no dressing, at 6 1/2c a yard.

36 inch brown muslin, one bale only will be sold at 2 1/2c a yard.

Coats, Capes and Suits on
Second Floor.

See our handsome line of Coats from \$5 up.

Cloth capes in all styles, as the English and Golf, \$10 up.

Ladies' ready made suits \$5 up.

Ladies' wrappers and tea gowns, 98c, \$1.25, 1.50 and 2.00.

Old Santa Claus will make our store his headquarters
this year. He is now sending in presents for all good chil-
dren. The little ones are all welcome to visit Santa Claus
department.

Handkerchiefs.

10 dozen ladies' all linen scalloped Embroidered Handker-
chiefs, worth 75c and \$1.00, at 50c.

Black Dress Goods.

40-inch Waffle Cloth, regular price, 50c, our price 35c.

45-inch all wool Henrietta, regular price 65c, for 50c

40-inch Satin Velour, regular price \$1.00, for 75c.

Serges, Velours, Henriettas, Crepons, Solicles, Whipcords,
etc., \$1.00.

Colored Dress Goods.

One case 38 inch Silk and Wool Novelties, beautiful styles,
only 38c.

Two cases Bannockburn Tweeds, all wool and silk and
wool, only 49c.

20 pieces rough Cheviot Suitings, this season's styles,
only 85c.

34-inch Storm Serge, wide wale, navy blue, only 85c.

Fine Carpets.

The hardest thing we have to contend with is the fact
that some people think because we do a large business at
popular prices that we bend our efforts to selling medium
and low cost goods only.

Will you never wake up to the fact that we have room
enough, capital enough and taste enough to sell the finer
grades as well?

We confidently assert that no house outside of Chicago
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Wiltons, Axminster, Moquettes, Velvets and Brussels as
ourselves and for immediate delivery. No waiting with
bare floors two, three or four weeks for "goods to arrive."

The same can be said of our Rug and Dr

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CLOAKS AND CAPES AND FUR CAPES.

Our trade on cloaks was splendid last
week.
A few medium weight jackets left to
sell at \$2.50, 3.00 and 3.50 each.
Medium weight capes on sale at \$2.50,
3.00, 3.50 and 5.00.
Heavy jackets for ladies at \$3.50, 5.00,
6.50, 7.50, 10.00 to 20.00.
Plush jackets at \$12.50, 15.00, 20.00 and
25.00.
We will make to your order any spe-
cial kind of garment. Come in and pay
part down on a cloak and we will lay
it away and let you pay on them as
you can.

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each and every branch in dentistry, including pivot teeth, crown and bridge work,
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teeth. All our material and work is guaranteed from three to five years.

Cement Fillings, - - -	50 and 75c.
Porcelain " - - -	75c and \$1.00.
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Gold Fillings, - - -	1.00 and up.
Teeth extracted without pain,	25c.
Gas when desired, - - -	50c.
Teeth Cleaned and Polished,	75c.
Plates Repaired, - - -	50 and 75c.
Full Sets of Teeth on Rubber, - - -	\$5.00 and \$7.00.
" " " " the best, - - -	\$10.00.
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Abel's Carpet and Wall Paper Co.

Moving into the new Arcade Building on Main St.

Look out for bargains for the next ten days. To avoid the
expense of moving the goods and to realize cash quickly, we
will cut prices on the entire stock of Carpets, Wall Paper,
Linoleums, Mattings, Oil Cloths, Window Shades, Room
Mouldings, Lace Curtains and Drapery. Be sure and visit us
in the old and new store. Respectfully,

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FOURTH SERIES NOW OPEN.

THE DECATUR MUTUAL LOAN ASSOCIATION has now
opened its Fourth Series of Stock as follows:

Class A, 30c a share dues; Class B, 60c a
share dues, and Class C, \$1.00 a share dues.

Now is the time to build you a home while everything
is cheap.

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To the Ladies:

Fur Garments, Latest Styles and Prices.

Also a Complete Line of Fashionable Furs. We will MAKE FURS TO ORDER.
Send Cloaks remodeled in Latest Styles, and Children's Clothing made to order.

DRESS MAKING In All its Branches.

We Acknowledge No Competition in Our Specialties.

MRS. WITTIG,
139 East Main Street.

HILL AT SYRACUSE

The Great New Yorker Opens His
Gubernatorial Campaign.

ONLY KIND WORDS FOR HIS OPPONENT.

He Proposes to Conduct a Clean Cam-
paign, Free From Personal Vilifica-
tions—Work of the Constitution-
al Convention Denounced.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Oct. 12.—Senator
David B. Hill opened the democratic
campaign here last night in the Al-
hambria rink, and he was accorded a
magnificent reception.

The Alhambria was crowded long be-
fore the meeting was called to order,
and over 5,000 people crowded into a
seating space of 3,000. Many were un-
able to gain admission to the hall.
Prominent democrats were in town
from places within a radius of forty
miles and the enthusiasm for Hill was
unbounded.

Senator Hill was introduced by Henry
J. Mowry, and stepped forward to ad-
dress the audience, and this was the
signal for a long-continued outburst of
applause. He said, among other
things:

"It is my desire and intention to con-
duct upon my part an honorable cam-
paign, free from unnecessary politics
and worthy of the important public
questions, at least between the two
principal parties. Facts and argu-
ments are the weapons which I shall
invoke, rather than vilifications. In
great political contests, principles and
not men should be essentially the con-
trolling factors.

"For the distinguished and venerable
gentleman whom the republican
party has selected as my opponent in
this campaign—or more accurately
speaking, the gentleman whom Mr.
Platt selected, and whose selection the
convention subsequently ratified—I
have nothing but the kindest feel-
ings and the most profound personal
respect. I acknowledge his many ex-
cellent qualities, and am indebted to
him for many courtesies while he was
presiding officer of the senate. Of
genial disposition, of conceded busi-
ness ability and of large means, he
naturally attracts friends, and his can-
didacy for any position which he may
covert becomes most formidable and
dangerous.

"The question whether democrats
properly or improperly secured control
of the state senate in 1891, is powder
already burned which cannot be used
again to the advantage of our adver-
saries. The republicans last fall ac-
cidentally obtained control of the con-
stitutional convention and have pro-
ceeded to place an apportionment of
senate and assembly districts in their
constitutional amendments to be sub-
mitted to the people at this election.

"The unfairness, the partisanship,
the absolute injustice of the proposed
apportionment, admits of no argument.
Its purpose was openly avowed on the
floor of the convention to secure for all
the future the control of the legislature
of the state to the republicans. Every
democratic member of the constitu-
tional convention voted against the
scheme, and thereafter issued an ad-
dress to the people giving their rea-
sons therefor. Its facts, its figures,
its conclusions have not been and can-
not be successfully refuted. It is ab-
solutely unanswerable."

A TERRIBLE BOILER EXPLOSION.

Four Dead, Five Injured, and Sixteen Han-
dred Thrown Out of Employment.

SHAMOKIN, Pa., Oct. 11.—A terrible
boiler explosion occurred at Henry
Clay shaft this morning. Three dead
bodies have been taken from the
debris:

Thomas Carr, married.
Wm. Boyle, married.
Wm. Eslick, single.
Wm. McLaughlin died after being
conveyed home.

The following were injured: J. J.
Didian, foreman of boiler-house
shaft, fatally burned and maimed;
John Flickensline, fatally burned;
Wm. Guilmin, legs bruised and scalded;
Peter Heck, face scalded; Dennis Bren-
nan, head cut and face scalded.

Owing to the great mass of debris,
together with the excitement, it was
impossible to learn exactly how many
men remain in the wreckage. Some
say there are five more dead, but the
officials say that the above list of casu-
alties is probably correct.

The colliery is operated by the Phila-
delphia & Reading Coal and Iron Co.,
and the pecuniary loss is \$100,000.
Sixteen hundred men and boys are
thrown out of employment.

A FIGHT EXPECTED

Between a Sheriff's posse and Fugitive
Santa Fe Train Robbers.

DENVER, Col., Oct. 11.—A fight was
expected this evening between the de-
tectives of the sheriff's office, who have
been sent by Chief De Lue to Littleton,
and the Santa Fe train robbers. They
are now on the trail of the wreckers
about five miles west of Littleton.

Officers Loomis, Gardner, Berlew and
Clark were sent out, and they are close
upon the fugitives, they having found
a hat dropped by them. Berlew, at
2:20, telegraphed for more men and five
more were sent, each armed with a
Winchester.

The highwaymen took several guns
at Littleton in their robberies in the
past few days and are prepared for a
fight. They are making for the moun-
tains, about ten miles distant from Lit-
tleton.

Aimed at the Lottery Companies.
COLUMBUS, O., Oct. 12.—The Ohio
Presbyterian synod yesterday adopted
a resolution urging congress to pass the
Hoar bill prohibiting express com-
panies from handling the business of lot-
tery companies. Moderator McEliffert
occupied the morning in a discussion
of "The Home Missions" question.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than
make good all the advertising claimed
for them, the following four remedies
have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr.
King's New Discovery, for Consumption,
Cough and Colds, each bottle guaran-
teed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy
for Liver Stomach and Kidneys—Buck-
len's Arnica Salve, the best in the world,
and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are
a perfect pill. All these remedies are
guaranteed to do just what is claimed for
them, and the dealer whose name is at-
tached herewith will be glad to tell you
more of them. Sold at King & Hub-
bard's drug store.

PARSON MARSH, of Peoria, is trying to
establish a church of free thought.
When he preaches he does not take his
text from the Bible but from a magazine
or newspaper.

Ballard's Horehound Syrup.

We guarantee this to be the best
Cough Syrup manufactured in the
whole wide world. This is saying a
great deal, but it is true. For Consumption,
Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Sore
Chest, Pneumonia, Bronchitis, Asthma,
Croup, Whooping Cough, and all dis-
eases of the Throat and Lungs, we positively
guarantee Ballard's Horehound
Syrup to be without equal on the whole
face of the globe. In support of this
statement we refer to every individual
who has ever used it, and to every druggist
who has ever sold it. Such evidence
is indisputable. Sold by C. H. Dawson,
Druggist.

W. J. Ford and W. I. Saffell have sold
their two-thirds interest in the "Boner-
lin" store at St. Joseph to Cogshall &
Kienzie for about \$10,000.

A Sound Liver Makes a Well Man.

Are you Bilious, Constipated or trou-
bled with Jaundice, Sick Headache, Bad
Taste in Mouth, Foul Breath, Coated
Tongue, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Hot
Dry Skin, Pain in Back and between
the Shoulders, Chills and Fever, etc. If
you have any of these symptoms, your
Liver is out of order, and your blood is
slowly being poisoned, because your Liver
does not act properly. HENRY'S
cure any disorder of the Liver, Stomach
or Bowels. It has no equal as a Liver
Medicine. Price, 75 cents. Free trial
bottles at Dawson's drug store.

W. H. RYNNER's store at Minonk, was
entered Sunday night by burglars and
\$20 in cash was taken, besides a quan-
tity of goods.

Ballard's Snow Liniment.

Mrs. Hamilton, Cambridge, Ill., says:
"I had the rheumatism so bad I could
not raise my hand to my head. Bar-
lard's Snow Liniment has entirely cured
me. I take pleasure in informing my
neighbors and friends what it has done
for me." Chas. Handley, clerk for Lay
& Lyman, Keokuk, Ill., advises us
that Snow Liniment cured him of Rheu-
matism. Why not try it? It will surely
do you good. It cures all inflammation,
Wounds, Sores, Cuts, Sprains, etc. Sold
by C. H. Dawson, druggist. d&w

BILLY SUNDAY, the reformed base ball
player, will be with Chapman and Bill-
horn at the Peoria meetings.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts,
Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum,
Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands,
Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions,
and positively cures Piles, or no pay re-
quired. It is guaranteed to give perfect
satisfaction, or money refunded. Price
25 cents per box. For Sale By
KING & HUBBARD.

AFTER twenty years' service James
Mathewson has resigned as postal clerk
on the Champaign & Havana line.

Our Grandmothers' Way

was to steep roots and herbs and use it
every night. We can do the same by
using Parks' Tea. Nothing acts so
promptly and without discomfort. Not
a pill or cathartic, but moves the bowels
every day. Sold by W. F. Neisler.

J. M. DICKEY has sold his farm of 120
acres near Weldon to George Allen for
\$75 per acre or \$9,000.

RUDY'S PILE SUPPOSITORY is
guaranteed to cure Piles and Constipa-
tion, or money refunded. 50 cents per
box. Send stamp for circular and free
sample to MARTIN RUDY, Lancaster,
Pa. For Sale by W. A. Dixon & Co.,
Druggists, Decatur, Ill.

A MOULTON county man raised 40
tons of broomcorn on 100 acres and
brought \$4,800.

For instance, Mrs. Chas. Rogers, of
Bay City, Mich., accidentally spilled
scalding water over her little boy. She
promptly applied De Witt's Witch Hazel
Salve, giving instant relief. It is a won-
derfully good salve for burns, bruises,
sores, and a sure cure for Piles. C. H.
Dawson.

It is found that the shortage of the
defunct Lewiston bank is \$30,500.

MRS. T. S. HAWKINS, Chattanooga,
Tenn., says, "Shiloh's Viatizer 'SAVED
MY LIFE.' I consider it the best reme-
dy for a debilitated system I ever used." For
Dyspepsia, Liver or Kidney trouble
it excels. Price, 75c. Guaranteed by C.
H. Dawson. d&w

The name of a school in Sangamon
county is Crack Neck.

HEADACHE is the direct result of Indi-
gestion and Stomach Disorders. Rem-
edy these by using De Witt's Little Early
Risers and your Headache disappears.
The favorite Little Pill everywhere. C.
H. Dawson.

The Chapman tabernacle at Peoria
cost \$2,500 and holds 8,000.

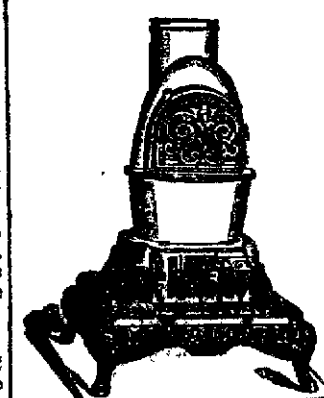
One word describes it—"perfection."
We refer to De Witt's Witch Hazel
Salve, cures obstinate sores, burns, skin
diseases and is a well known cure for
piles. C. H. Dawson.

"MOTHERS' FRIEND"

Is a scientifically prepared liniment
and harmless; every ingredient is of
recognized value and in constant use
by the medical profession. It shortens
labor, lessens pain, diminishes danger
to life of Mother and Child. Book "To
Mothers" mailed free, containing valu-
able information and voluntary testi-
monials.

Sent by Express or Mail, on receipt of price,
60 cents per bottle. Sold by All Druggists.
WHEATFIELD PREPARATION CO., Chicago, Ill.

Buy the **MOORE'S HEATER** Original



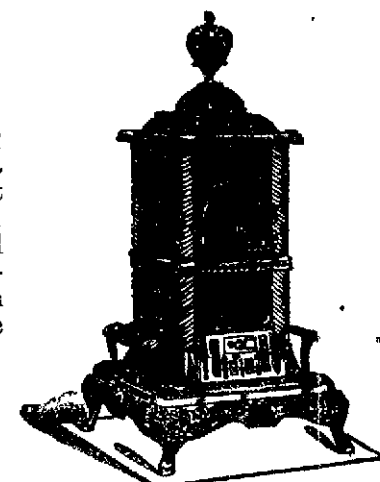
HERE we show you the Moore's
Air Tight Heater without the
outside jacket. What is it? Sim-
ply an old style cannon stove, such
as has stood the test for so many
years in railway depots and other
public buildings. This stove is
cast in two sections and is per-
fectly fitted and put together so as
to make a

PERFECTLY
AIR TIGHT
JOINT.

It consumes less coal than other
stoves and makes more heat,

BALL BEARING GRATE.

THIS is the same stove, the
Famous Moore's Air Tight
Heater, with the fancy net-
work jacket placed over the
dome and firepot, thus making
the old style cannon stove a
neat parlor stove. We call it
Famous because we have sold
it since 1891 with wonderful
success and it has indeed be-
come famous. Remember with
this network jacket the stove



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BLACKING
ONLY ONCE
A YEAR.

DON'T MISTAKE THE NAME! THE ORIGINAL

MOORE'S HEATER

FOR SALE ONLY BY

C. L. GRISWOLD & CO.

POWERS.

Misses' Splendid Heavy Sole,
Pat. Leather Tip School
Shoes, in heel or spring,
sizes 11 to 2,

90 cents.

Children's, 8 to 10 1-2,
80 cents.

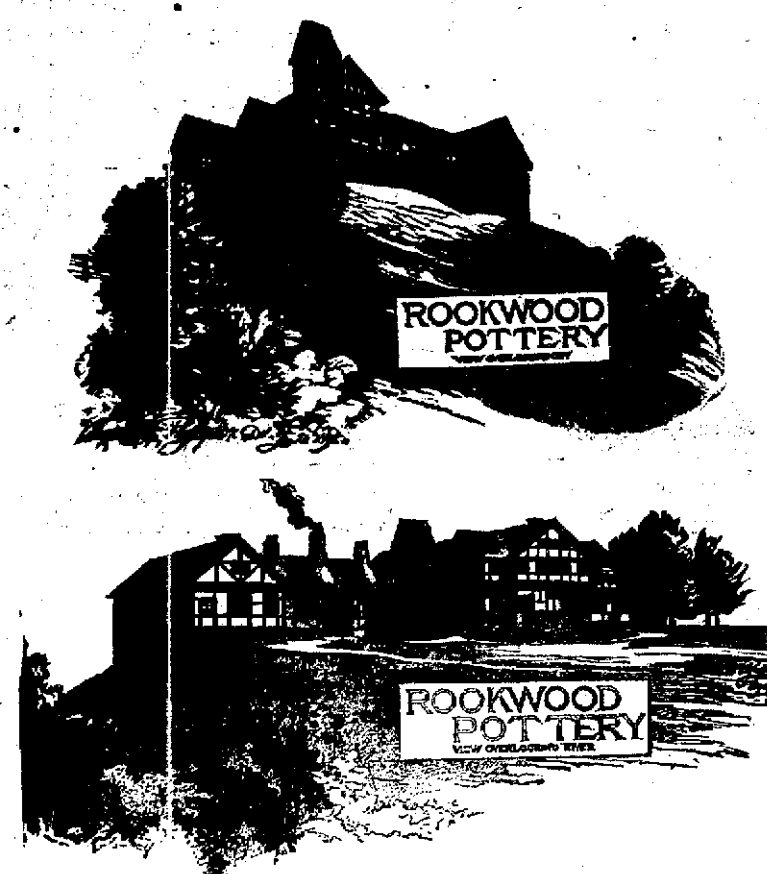
Youths' Veal Calf Lace Shoes,
Solid and First Class,
85 cents.

Boys' of same, per pair,
\$1.00.

POWERS'

SHOE STORE.

Rookwood Pottery



We have been appointed selling agents for the product of these celebrated potteries.

You are invited to inspect a full line of their goods.

The goods will be shown on our first floor with the Cut Glass.

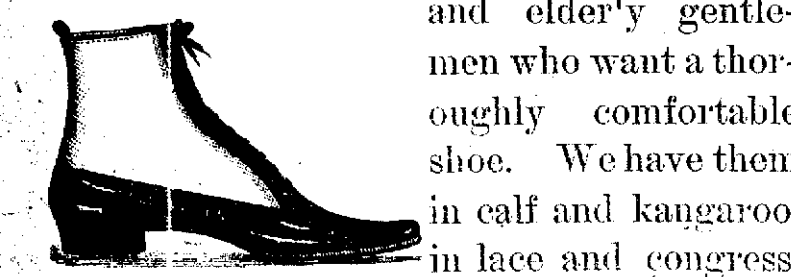
Respectfully,

OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.

Jewelers and Dealers in Fine China.

WE have these famous Hanan Shoes in these and several other styles. We have them in razor toes, which are the "correct kibosh."

Gentlemen who wish to be stylishly dressed must wear the razor toe. We have also the Natural Last, which is constructed with strict regard to the natural shape of the foot. These are especially well suited for middle-aged



and elder'y gentlemen who want a thoroughly comfortable shoe. We have them in calf and kangaroo, in lace and congress.

Men who wear them once will insist upon getting them thereafter. We are the exclusive agents for the celebrated Hanan & Son's shoes and carry a large line of them. If it should ever happen that we have not the exact size and style that you want we will take pleasure in taking your measure and procuring for you a perfect fit from the factory. Come and see us when you want anything in shoes.

F. H. COLE, SHOE CO.

B. F. BOBO, Manager.

148 East Main Street, Decatur, Illinois.

Daily Republican

No improvement that you can make (for the money) will add so much to the appearance of your home as painting it.

King & Hubbard, the druggists, have the best mixed paints in all colors; also everything in the paint and varnish line.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 12, 1934.

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

MODERN WOODMEN.—Regular meeting of Decatur Camp, No. 144, M. W. A. at their hall this evening at 7:30 o'clock. By order of W. H. DAVIS, V. C. GUY P. LEWIS, Clerk.

PYTHIAN SISTERS.—Special meeting of Fern Lodge, No. 18, this (Friday) evening at 8 o'clock in Chevalier hall. All members are urged to be present. Mrs. M. N. ALLEN, M. E. C. Mrs. ISADORE CORTE, M. H. C.

I. O. O. F.—Regular meeting of Columbia Lodge, No. 196, I. O. O. F. this (Friday) evening at 7:30 o'clock in hall of Central Lodge, 222 Main street, for visiting members cordially invited. Mrs. A. B. DRAKE, N. G. Mrs. ALICE S. POLAND, Sec.

LOCAL NEWS.

Don't Fail

To get some of those elegant Bisque Dolls, natural hair, for the children. Former price 75c, now sale price 10c. E. D. BARTHOLOMEW CO.

CHILDREN'S LAXATIVE Syrup at Irwin's. Best 50 cent underwear in the city. Arcade. 4-38

Tuscola has eleven blocks of brick paving.

Smoke the old reliable K. & W. cigars. max25-ctf

Bicycle races to-morrow. Some swift men are here.

EVERYTHING good at C. J. Munson's, 419 North Main street.

Try our delicious pies, only 15 cents. Co-Operative Woman's Exchange.

The best preparation for coughs and colds is Irwin's Rockbalm.

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR. Irwin's Toilet Cream will cure chapped hands and roughness of the skin.

BOILED HAM, the very best to be had, at the Co-Operative Woman's Exchange.

See the two-in-hand umbrella and cane combined at Watson's. The latest out. 946

ED. ALLEN and Frank Taylor handle the tickets at the grand stand at the race track.

DR. O. T. EDDY, Dentist, Room 10, Columbia block, over post office. July303mo

For a nice, stylish tailor-made suit go to Watson. James Veale, the cutter, is sure to fit you. 926

BEN ROBINSON, late of Blue Mound, has moved to Decatur to engage in the restaurant business.

DELICIOUS tongue, just the thing for Sunday lunch, at the Co-Operative Woman's Exchange.

The Russell Comedians will appear at the Grand to-night. There are 24 people in the party.

We have an unusual array of good things for to-morrow. Call and see. Co-Operative Woman's Exchange.

The latest styles hats, skirts, neckwear and underwear can always be found at Watson's, 229 N. Water St. 946

If you want a speedy horse or a promising campaigner, attend the sale at Brennenman's training stable to-morrow

J. K. MILLER, Captain Bingham and other members of the Decatur fishing party, will arrive home to-morrow from Mackinaw.

A marriage license was issued to-day to Calvin Jones of Marion and Miss Laura Risher of Clinton. The wedding will occur on Saturday.

Come out and see the lot of standard and registered trotters that will be disposed of to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at Brennenman's training stable.

The ladies' union prayer meeting will be held in the W. C. T. U. rooms on Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Topic: "The fruit of the spirit." Gal., v. 22-23

To-night the stereoscopic entertainment will be given at the First M. E. church. George Henderson will display the views and there will be a lecture by E. A. Gastman on animal life.

TO-NIGHT at the entertainment at the First M. E. church, Miss Nellie Nicholls will play an organ solo—a fantasia by Tours. It will be the first number on program.

Don't fail to hear the famous auctioneer "Col Ward" sell a car load of standard and registered mares and geldings at Brennenman's Training stable to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

VICE-PRESIDENT STEVENSON speaks at Danville Wednesday, Oct. 17th. To enable all to hear him the Wabash railroad will sell tickets to Danville and return for the 6:15 a. m. and 11:35 a. m. trains of Oct. 17th at one fare for the round trip. 11-46

SEVERAL of the best cake makers in the city send the results of their skill to the Co-Operative Woman's Exchange. This fact is well known to its patrons. Prices on cakes have not been advanced as reported. We sell the old popular prices.

CHARLES KELLER, a Chicago labor agitator, John Smith, president, and H. M. Gray, director of the Danville Lodge,

A. R. U. were indicted yesterday at Danville by the grand jury for attempting to boycott a Danville grocery house, that supplied provisions to the non-union men during the late strike.

Beno was not in good form at the races yesterday. He has not been in proper condition since hisgo at the state fair, and Mr. Mills hesitated about starting him yesterday. He couldn't beat the flag in the first heat and went to the stable.

Mr. POLASKI has decided upon a plan for a new system of water works which will cost \$18,000. The present system is a small and inadequate which has been in use for many years, the water supply being derived from a well on top of the hill.

THE 24 people comprising Russell's Comedians arrived in the city this morning from Columbus, Ohio, and are at the St. Nicholas. They appear at the Grand to-night.

An opportunity of a lifetime will be given you at Brennenman's training stable to-morrow afternoon to purchase a good road horse for a small amount of money.

ED. WHITE, arrested for stealing a watch from Mr. Schenck, was discharged to-day, as there was no evidence against him. The watch has been recovered.

THERE was one lucky man in Decatur yesterday. He picked the winners in the trot and free-for-all pace and won \$600. He is a Peoria man.

LEE Cope, the contractor, is laid up with a sprained ankle, received by getting tangled up with a ladder at the Review building.

After New Quarters.

The Decatur Cycling Club May Erect a Club House.

Strong Talk in That Direction—Everything in Readiness for the Bicycle Races at the Park To-Morrow—More Entries.

An important meeting of the Decatur Cycling Club was held last night at their rooms on the third floor of Hawthorn Block. J. Frank Faries was admitted to membership, and other business of importance was transacted. Last night closing the yearly lease of the rooms, the club decided to give up their apartments and store their furniture for the winter. All winter meetings will be held at the St. Nicholas hotel, and in the spring it is more than probable that a clubhouse of sufficient size will be erected near the center of the city, for the use of the cyclists. A two-story cottage of four or five rooms, especially built for the purpose of a bicycle club, is badly needed and if it is built it will be constructed by a certain capitalist in the city, who has already made a proposition. The membership is increasing rapidly and the club is in excellent condition, having a bright prospect. The interest in cycling is daily increasing and from indications spring will open with all Decatur riding wheels and enjoying the most delightful and exhilarating exercise on earth.

TO-MORROW'S RACES.

The last mail last night brought in the following additional entries for the open races at the park:

One-mile novice—Leslie Albert, of Warrensburg; A. G. Wilson, L. L. Winner of Decatur, Geo. Dean of Moweaqua and John Smalley of Danville; a total of 16 entries in this event.

One-Quarter Mile Open—Class A—F. C. Van de Sande of Chicago, J. H. Caldwell of Springfield, O. P. Barnhart of Toledo, Geo. Dean of Moweaqua, F. B. Regby of Toledo, C. T. Woolsey and J. N. Leonard of Danville; a total of 32 entries in this event.

One-half Mile Open—Class A—F. C. Van de Sande, Chicago; J. H. Caldwell, Springfield; O. P. Barnhart, Toledo; Geo. Dean, Moweaqua; F. B. Regby, Toledo; C. T. Woolsey and J. V. Leonard, Danville; a total of 32 entries in this event.

One Mile, best record—Class A—F. C. Van de Sande, Chicago and O. P. Barnhart and F. B. Regby, Toledo; a total of 19 in this event.

There are 12 entries in the one mile open class B race; 31 in the two-mile handicap, class A; 12 in the one-fourth mile open, class A; 11 in the one mile handicap, and 12 in the Decatur Cycling Club race; making in all the largest and grandest bicycle race program ever held in Illinois. Aside from the regular program there will be exhibitions by Sid Black, the great trick rider, between each event.

RACE NOTES.

The bicycle races will commence promptly at 1:30 o'clock to-morrow afternoon at the Trotting Association Track.

The admission fee of 50 cents at the gate, admits one to all privileges on the grounds; no extra charge for grand stand.

Goodman's Band will be in attendance and will be stationed in the grand stand. J. W. Coburn, Dave Coburn and G. A. Maxwell, of St. Louis, arrived in the city to-day, and the Cleveland "B" team arrived this afternoon.

The prizes will be distributed to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock sharp, at the H. Mueller Gun company establishment on East Prairie street.

Don't forget to wear the Decatur Cycling Club's colors, blue and old gold. Chicago has her "Pinky" Bias, but to-morrow's races will settle the question whether Decatur has her "Pinky" Batchelder.

Matrimonial.

Mr. Travis Brown and Miss Ida Weigand were married at 7:30 p. m. October 10, at the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Weigand, one mile east of Boody. Many useful presents were received. A sumptuous feast was spread, after which congratulations were offered. Those present were Nelson Brown and family, J. H. Weigand and family, F. Ward, H. Brown, M. Livingston, F. Kraschel, Geo. Eckhart, J. W. Weigand, Wes Weigand, John Grass, Chas. Ward, H. Afterbody, W. W. Weigand, W. M. Weigand, Otto Wise, Theodore Wise, William Stigman, Jake Weigand and families, James Durning. The couple departed for Chicago.

Awarded Highest Honors—World's Fair.

DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER

"MOST PERFECT MADE."

A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other deleterious

40 YEARS THE STANDARD

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR

FOR A PURSE OF \$81,000.

Corbet and Fitzsimmons sign for a Fight.

New York, Oct. 11.—Corbet and Fitzsimmons agreed to sign articles this morning to fight to a finish at Jacksonville Fla., for a purse of \$41,000 and a bet of \$10,000 a side, any time after July 1 next, the date left to the choice of the club, probably next fall.

The arrangements were the result of a meeting of the men and their managers and it was not brought about without a wordy exchange and it looked once or twice as if the principals would come to blows.

The representatives of the Auditorium and Olympic Clubs, of New Orleans, and the Florida Athletic Club, of Jacksonville, Fla., were present and bid for the privilege of bringing off the fight. The Olympic Club offered \$50,000 but, as the representatives were not empowered to make a deposit, the contract went to Jacksonville.

Plenty of Natural Gas—It Brings Out the Department.

Shortly before the noon hour to-day the fire department was called out by an alarm sent in from Riverside Place. The Chemical team made the run to the scene of the conflagration, and found it on a lot near Cleveland avenue where a number of men were engaged in digging a well. The well had been dug to a depth of forty feet and then failing to get water the contractor began boring, going 49 feet deeper. There was a strong smell of gas last night and again this forenoon. Finally one of the men thought he would test the matter, and lighting a piece of paper he held it over the opening. Instantly there was a blaze of fire and the curious got out of the way just in time to save his whiskers. The fire shot up about 30 feet and then it was that the firemen were called. The chemical put out the column of fire, but the roaring of the escaping gas continued. It can be heard a block distant. If the flow continues the residents of Riverside Place will pipe the gas to their homes and use it for cooking and heating purposes.

The price of lots in that addition will doubtless receive a boom.

Already many people have gone down on the street cars to have a look at the well and hear the natural gas roar.

ROBERT J. STILL KING.

In His Race at Sioux City With Joe Patchen He Came Within a Second of His Record.

Sioux City, Ia., Oct. 11.—The largest crowd that ever gathered at similar events in the northwest witnessed the race between the two pacers, Robert J. and Joe Patchen, at the Inter-State fair to-day. Fully 25,000 people were on the grounds. The track was in splendid condition.

It was 4:15 o'clock when the King of the Turf and his famous rival got off. Patchen took the lead by a shoulder, and kept it with hardly a variation of a hair until into the stretch, when Robert J. slowly crept up on him and came under the wire by a short neck in 2:06.

In the second heat Robert J. took a lead of a length and easily held it to the finish. Time, 2:06.

In the last heat Robert J. soon put a length between him and his black rival. Coming into the stretch Geers let Robert out and he won by five lengths.

There was a cyclone of applause a few moments after when the time was announced, 2:02½, within a second of his record. The last quarter was made at a 2:00 gait.

Robert J. will go against his own record of 2:01½ Saturday.

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Corbet and Fitzsimmons sign for a Fight.

New York, Oct. 11.—Corbet and Fitzsimmons agreed to sign articles this morning to fight to a finish at Jacksonville Fla., for a purse of \$41,000 and a bet of \$10,000 a side, any time after July 1 next, the date left to the choice of the club, probably next fall.

The arrangements were the result of a meeting of the men and their managers and it was not brought about without a wordy exchange and it looked once or twice as if the principals would come to blows.

The representatives of the Auditorium and Olympic Clubs, of New Orleans, and the Florida Athletic Club, of Jacksonville, Fla., were present and bid for the privilege of bringing off the fight. The Olympic Club offered \$50,000 but, as the representatives were not empowered to make a deposit, the contract went to Jacksonville.

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After New Quarters.

The Decatur Cycling Club May Erect a Club House.

Strong Talk in That Direction—Everything in Readiness for the Bicycle Races at the Park To-Morrow—More Entries.

An important meeting of the Decatur Cycling Club was held last night at their rooms on the third floor of Hawthorn Block. J. Frank Faries was admitted to membership, and other business of importance was transacted. Last night closing the yearly lease of the rooms, the club decided to give up their apartments and store their furniture for the winter. All winter meetings will be held at the St. Nicholas hotel, and in the spring it is more than probable that a clubhouse of sufficient size will be erected near the center of the city, for the use of the cyclists. A two-story cottage of four or five rooms, especially built for the purpose of a bicycle club, is badly needed and if it is built it will be constructed by a certain capitalist in the city, who has already made a proposition. The membership is increasing rapidly and the club is in excellent condition, having a bright prospect. The interest in cycling is daily increasing and from indications spring will open with all Decatur riding wheels and enjoying the most delightful and exhilarating exercise on earth.

TO-MORROW'S RACES.

The last mail last night brought in the following additional entries for the open races at the park:

One-mile novice—Leslie Albert, of Warrensburg; A. G. Wilson, L. L. Winner of Decatur, Geo. Dean of Moweaqua and John Smalley of Danville; a total of 16 entries in this event.

One-Quarter Mile Open—Class A—F. C. Van de Sande of Chicago, J. H. Caldwell of Springfield, O. P. Barnhart of Toledo, Geo. Dean of Moweaqua, F. B. Regby of Toledo, C. T. Woolsey and J. N. Leonard of Danville; a total of 32 entries in this event.

One-half Mile Open—Class A—F. C. Van de Sande, Chicago; J. H. Caldwell, Springfield; O. P. Barnhart, Toledo; Geo. Dean, Moweaqua; F. B. Regby, Toledo; C. T. Woolsey and J. V. Leonard, Danville; a total of 32 entries in this event.

One Mile, best record—Class A—F. C. Van de Sande, Chicago and O. P. Barnhart and F. B. Regby, Toledo; a total of 19 in this event.

There are 12 entries in the one mile open class B race; 31 in the two-mile handicap, class A; 12 in the one-fourth mile open, class A; 11 in the one mile handicap, and 12 in the Decatur Cycling Club race; making in all the largest and grandest bicycle race program ever held in Illinois. Aside from the regular program there will be exhibitions by Sid Black, the great trick rider, between each event.

RACE NOTES.

The bicycle races will commence promptly at 1:30 o'clock to-morrow afternoon at the Trotting Association Track.

The admission fee of 50 cents at the gate, admits one to all privileges on the grounds; no extra charge for grand stand.

Goodman's Band will be in attendance and will be stationed in the grand stand. J. W. Coburn, Dave Coburn and G. A. Maxwell, of St. Louis, arrived in the city to-day, and the Cleveland "B" team arrived this afternoon.

The prizes will be distributed to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock sharp, at the H. Mueller Gun company establishment on East Prairie street.

Don't forget to wear the Decatur Cycling Club's colors, blue and old gold. Chicago has her "Pinky" Bias, but to-morrow's races will settle the question whether Decatur has her "Pinky" Batchelder.

Matrimonial.

Mr. Travis Brown and Miss Ida Weigand were married at 7:30 p. m. October 10, at the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Weigand, one mile east of Boody. Many useful presents were received. A sumptuous feast was spread, after which congratulations were offered. Those present were Nelson Brown and family, J. H. Weigand and family, F. Ward, H. Brown, M. Livingston, F. Kraschel, Geo. Eckhart, J. W. Weigand, Wes Weigand, John Grass, Chas. Ward, H. Afterbody, W. W. Weigand, W. M. Weigand, Otto Wise, Theodore Wise, William Stigman, Jake Weigand and families, James Durning. The couple departed for Chicago.

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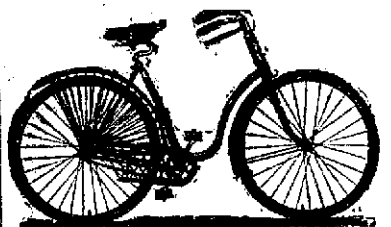
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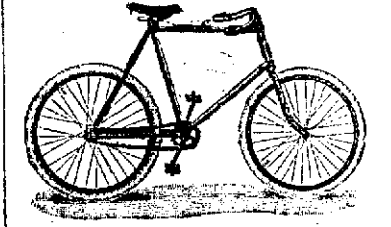
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